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A PORTUGUESE WARSHIP IN HARBOR

The Cruiser San Gabriel Comes in on Her Schedule Time.

BIG CROWD TO GREET HER

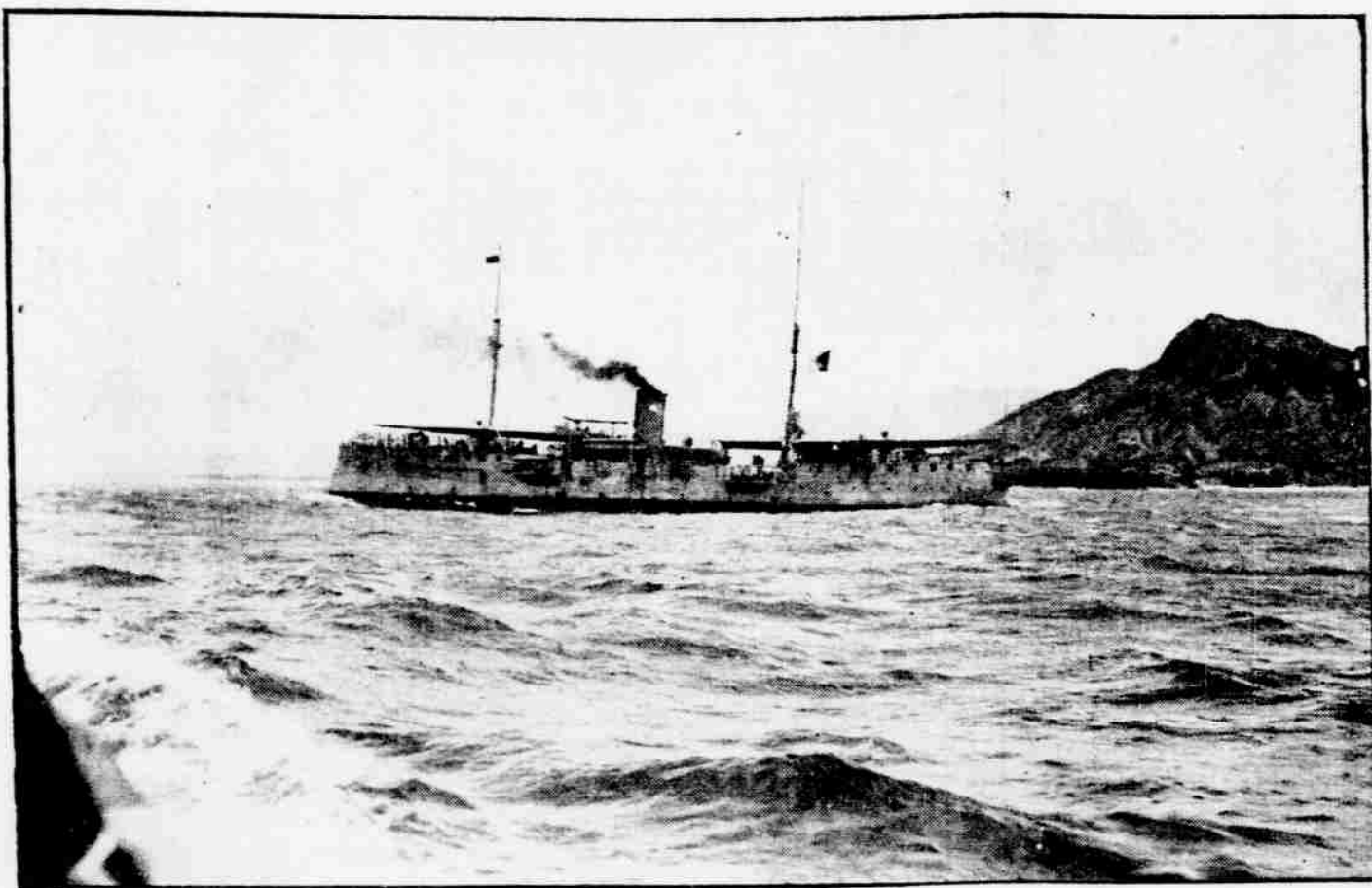
Very Extensive World Tour Being Made by Portuguese Man-of-War.

With gay flags and gay music the Portuguese cruiser San Gabriel was welcomed to Hawaii yesterday forenoon and local Portuguese, for the first time since they left the sunny isles off the Portuguese coast, had an opportunity to greet the flag under which they were born, flying over one of Portugal's ships.

At two o'clock yesterday morning the cruiser sighted the Makapuu light, flashing answers to the Molokai light way down to the south, but having witnessed the Portuguese consul-general that she would not be in quarantine until eleven o'clock, the visiting ship crept up the coast at a snail's pace and was finally boarded by the quarantine officers on scheduled time.

As soon as the vessel was sighted from the Diamond Head light the tug Intrepid with Mayor Fern, Consul-General Canavaro and the executive committee on board, and the inter-island

FIRST VESSEL OF HER FLAG IN HARBOR



THE SAN GABRIEL, THE VISITING PORTUGUESE CRUISER, ROUNDED DIAMOND HEAD YESTERDAY.

Steamer Kinan with the band, the reception committee and the "general public" steamed out of the harbor with a score of little launches and boats trailing after them in a carnival-like procession.

The San Gabriel was met off Diamond Head and the Portuguese crowd on the Kinan started the cheering that lasted until the vessel was safely moored to the naval wharf. The tug stayed behind the cruiser as it slowly passed along the Waikiki and Kakaako coasts, but the Kinan hastened back to her berth to resume her loading for her usual trip in the afternoon.

The minute that the crowd on board of the Kinan was ashore, many of them a little the worse for the wear of the sea, all hastened to the wharf to which the cruiser was assigned and there was a mass of cheering people when the unique little man-of-war

finally came into the dock, at about half-past eleven.

She had too much headway on as she came into the ship and in consequence bumped the harbor wall softly but did not injure it or herself. The throng on shore were shouting themselves hoarse as the ropes were thrown and made fast and to the sailors that lined the vessel's side were shouted the greetings of Lusitania in a foreign tongue.

As soon as the gangplanks were out the Mayor, followed by the Consul-General and the reception committee, hastened aboard and while the Mayor extended the city welcomes to the visiting officers and men, the representative of King Manuel told the officers of the death of King Edward of Great Britain.

Instantly the white and blue band

HOT SHOT FOR JUDGE PARSONS

The Attorney-General Prodding the Hilo Circuit Judge.

MANDAMUS THREAT AGAIN

Judge's Record of Proceedings Years Ago Differs From the Attorney-General's.

Judge Parsons of Hilo and the attorney-general's department have been having some lively correspondence as a result of an interview in The Advertiser of April 8, in which Deputy Attorney-General Lymer stated that Parsons was about to be called to account for failing to decide a boundary case which was submitted to him as boundary commissioner four years ago. The net result of the correspondence so far appears to be that the attorney-general's department stands by the statement made in the original Advertiser publication, that it will mandamus Parsons, as boundary commissioner, to give a decision unless he does so in the near future of his own accord.

The matter has finally resolved itself into a personal controversy between Judge Parsons and the attorney-general's department, the judge claiming that he has been treated with insolence, and the attorney-general's department insinuating that there is something more than strange in the judge's reluctance to render a decision in an important case the defendant in which is a former client of his.

Parsons was Defendant's Attorney.

It appears from statements made by Attorney-General Lindsay and his deputy, Mr. Lymer, that a slight inaccuracy crept into the original story published by The Advertiser. Judge Parsons was not the boundary commissioner in 1901, at the time the suit was originally filed. But he was the

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AUTOMOBILISTS GO SCOT-FREE

Breakers of Speed Limit Plead Guilty and Are Given Suspended Sentence.

The twenty-eight automobile men who were convicted in the police court of speeding and who were fined, go free with no fine to pay. They appeal of to the circuit court and yesterday the case came before Judge Cooper. The defendants all entered a plea of guilty and sentence was suspended for six months. This means that the speeders may go about their business without further trouble, though the sentence still hangs over their heads in case they are arrested again within six—not thirteen—months for the same offense.

DEFENSE IN HYDE MURDER CASE RESTS

KANSAS CITY, May 11.—The defense in the case of the State against Dr. B. C. Hyde, on trial for the alleged murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, and accused of the murder of Christian Swope and a nurse has rested its case.

WOMEN TO VOTE ON PLEBISCITE

Will Cast Straw Ballots to Show the Men How They Stand on Prohibition.

PLAN REGULAR ELECTION

Wife of Governor Heads Movement to Register Voice of Women.

Impressed with the power of united womanhood toward the advancement of civilization by the address of the Hon. John G. Woolley, a large number of Honolulu women, headed by Mrs. Walter F. Frear, yesterday resolved to organize their forces for a preliminary campaign on the liquor issue, to hold an advance election, and, by a straw ballot, show such an overwhelming sentiment against the saloon that those who are blessed with the right of suffrage will feel in honor bound to respect and yield to their united wishes.

This decision was reached yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the local branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union held in the Central Union church.

Mrs. Frear said that she and Mrs. Whitney had talked over with Mr. Woolley the plan to hold an advance election and that if the women present at the meeting felt that they could do the work which was necessary to conduct a successful campaign and were willing to go at it in earnest, she would cooperate most heartily in the movement.

Nearly all the women present rose to the occasion when called upon to signify their determination, and the meeting adjourned with the assurance that the better halves throughout these

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BREWERY HAS SPECIAL CLAIM

Can the Legislature Deprive It of a Long Term Charter?

The brewery has a joker up its sleeve in the present campaign, in the claim that even if prohibition passes, it can not be put out of business because it is operating under a charter which has a definite term of years to run. It is claimed that the legislature can not terminate this charter, at least without compensating the stockholders of the brewery, and even if a prohibition law is passed, the brewery will probably insist on its right to go ahead with the manufacture and sale of beer, and if it is forcibly prevented from doing so, it will claim damages for its stockholders.

The law under which the brewery is operating was passed in 1903. Some time after that it was taken advantage of. The law in question authorized the treasurer to grant a license for the brewing and sale of malt liquors in the Territory, for the term of fifteen years.

Under this law, the brewery was incorporated and secured a license from the Territory. It is claimed that this is a contract which the Territory can not suddenly set aside. If the legislature passes a law and stops the brewery from operating, there will be grounds for damages, say some attorneys, even if the brewing and sale of beer can be stopped at all.

It is claimed by some that the legislature can not legally stop the operations of the brewery until the period of its license expires, and on this ground the brewery may be found still claiming the right to do business after the legislature passes a prohibition law, if it does pass one.

CONGRESS MAY SOLVE A LOCAL MYSTERY

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The house committee on insular affairs today called upon the war department for complete information regarding recent reported purchases of friar lands in the Philippines. The committee wishes to know who are the actual purchasers and how much of the lands has been disposed of.

Among the recent purchases regarding which information is wanted is one by L. E. Thayer, who is said to represent Hawaiian interests. There have also been numerous reports of purchases of large tracts of the land for the sugar trust.

Thayer's purchases, according to published reports, were for the Dillingham company of Honolulu, but when the Dillingham company denied any connection with the matter the identity of his backers became a mystery.

CAMPAIGN IN IOWA OPENS RED HOT

Dolliver and Cummins Denounce Tariff as Aldrich's Scheme for Robbery.

PRESIDENT IN BAD HANDS

Dolliver Says Taft All Right, but No Match for Schemers Surrounding Him.



SENATOR DOLLIVER Who declares Aldrich a senator for the trusts.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 11.—Senators J. P. Dolliver and A. B. Cummins addressed a great gathering here last night in the opening meeting of the political campaign for the Republican insurgents, announcing that the fight now on was to be one of the progressive wing of the party against the reactionaries. Both speakers attacked the Payne-Aldrich tariff as a scheme of legalized robbery by the manufacturers against the country.

Senator Dolliver made no personal attack against the President, but scored the President's associates and closest advisers unmercifully. He said that Taft was a good man but one who did not know how to handle the men he had around him, who knew exactly what they wanted and how to manipulate affairs and secure legislation to get it.

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CHINESE RIOTERS BURN A MISSION

Chang-Sha Agitation Against the Foreigners Extends Through the Province.

CHANG-SHA China, May 11.—Anti-foreign rioting has again broken out in this district and it is reported that the Yuen Chow mission has been destroyed by the rioters. No loss of life is reported, but those in charge of the mission are reported as fleeing toward this city for refuge.

This is the seventh mission to suffer so far in the riots, which began as rice riots and have developed into race riots. On April 17, in this city, the Catholic, the Norwegian and the Inland mission buildings were burned and the American Episcopal and Wesleyan missions were looted. The first reports sent out announced the Yale mission safe, but it was burned in the later rioting.

HUNDREDS OF MILES ARE FIRE SWEEP

Minnesota Forests Burning and Town of Taft Is Destroyed—Still Raging.

MILWAUKEE, May 11.—Northwestern Minnesota was yesterday swept by one of the greatest forest conflagrations in the history of the country, an area of five hundred square miles being cleaned out by the flames.

The many ranches in the forest clearing have been wiped out and the town of Taft is destroyed, not a building escaping the general destruction. The fire is yet burning and the village of Carling is threatened. Back fires have been started and fireguards are being put to stop the sweep of the flames.



HONOLULU PORTUGUESE WATCHING FOR THE SAN GABRIEL YESTERDAY MORNING.

WORKING TO HAVE MAUI CIRCUIT JUDGE REMOVED

Attorneys Giving Voice to Strenuous Objections to His Manner of Trying Cases---Want Politicians to Aid Them.

A movement to have Circuit Judge Kingsbury removed from the bench has been started on Maui, but it is being pressed in a very haphazard sort of a way, and those attorneys who are behind it are keeping their names out of it—and staying far enough behind so that they will not be seen by the judge. It is known, however, that they have tried to set change in motion so that the judge will have to face charges of unjust and capricious, and some Honolulu attorneys are so far as ready to back up the Maui attorneys. But so far a wholesome fear of the judge's power, or some other consideration, has prevented any of them from coming out into the open.

The main kick against Kingsbury is said to be that he considers himself not only the judge, but the counsel and jury also. His talks to juries are said to often amount to instructions to convict in criminal cases. In one case a disagreeing jury was told that the judge had believed in the complainant's witness in a case and felt thoroughly convinced of his truthfulness. It is generally agreed that the judge was right, and that substantial justice resulted from the verdict of guilty which the jury gave, but the attorneys admit that that sort of method of settling cases.

Judge Kingsbury's opponents give him full credit for good work and honesty, but say that he is always a partisan on the bench, in the trial of cases. In one respect Kingsbury is given credit for working a reform in the

Maui court. He has shut out the professional jurors. Under the old regime the jury list was narrowed down to a small number of citizens, while Kingsbury has compelled some of the bigger bugs to serve, and this has added somewhat to his troubles.

The Kingsbury proposition has got into politics, and some of the leaders in territorial Republican politics have been asked to lend their aid to an anti-Kingsbury movement. Names of them seem to want to go into it, and the attorneys are apparently barking up the wrong tree.

CITY HAS BALANCE IN THE TREASURY

The receipts of the city last month amounted to \$73,120.62, of which the Territory contributed an even seventy thousand and fees and fines did the rest. The expenses of the city amounted to \$72,289.42, leaving a net gain to the treasury for the month of \$831.20. With the balance carried over from March, the city is now in possession of real money to the amount of \$32,804.59, while the special road tax fund shows practically as much more on hand.

PERU IS READY FOR ECUADOR

LIMA, Peru, May 10.—Active preparations for war with Ecuador are being made.

POLICE WATCH FOR ASSASSINS

Detectives Guard Perelstrous Residence---That Funny Bomb Story.

It was stated yesterday by A. W. Perelstrous, the special immigration agent, that two Russians approached his wife on the street and threatened her. As the news first reached the police station Monday night it was a warning which two unknowns had given.

The two men approached Mrs. Perelstrous, and told her that her husband was a bad man to the Russian people and that they were going to blow her house up. Perelstrous called up the police station last night asking for police aid and Chief McDuffie assigned special officers Bergan and Muvieille, who watched the threatened house all night by turns.

While the incident only puts more work on the police they have managed to secure a little fun out of it. A reporter on an afternoon paper yesterday, while making his rounds at the police station, heard mysterious rumors of a conspiracy unearthed by the chief of detectives. McDuffie ushered him into the private office. A hasty glance around the room showed a big brown bomb crouching catlike on the top of McDuffie's desk, a wicked-looking feline hanging out of it. It was described as a startling headline in the afternoon paper as a bomb prepared for Perelstrous, and scared a lot of respectable people as much as it had scared the reporter. The afternoon paper will probably correct its story today and as sure the startled public that the bomb is a curiosity saved from the revolution of 1893.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Judge William Chambers has been named as the third arbitrator for dealing with the railroad troubles.